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### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Please find transmitted herewith:

- 1. Amendment and Response to the Office Action dated July 30, 2003.
- 2. A duplicate copy of this transmittal for accounting purposes only.

### FEE FOR EXCESS CLAIMS

The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16 (b)-(d) has been calculated as shown below:

Independent claims in excess of 3 added:

 $2 \times \$86.00 = \$172.00$ 

Total number of claims in excess of 20 added:

 $9 \times 18.00 = 162.00$ 

The total additional fee for claims required is:

\$ 334.00

#### FEE PAYMENT

The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account Nº 12-2252 for the amount of \$334.00. While it is believed that no additional extension of time or any other additional fees are necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to grant any needed extension of time and to charge any additional fees which may be required for this Response, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Nº 12-2252. A copy of this transmittal is enclosed for accounting purposes.

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- Response to Office Action dated July 30, 2003. 1.
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- Return Postcards. 3.



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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated July 30, 2003, for which the three-month shortened statutory period is set to expire on October 30, 2003. While Applicant believes that no extension of time for response is necessary and that an extra claims fee of 11/05/2003 HVUONG1 00000053 122252 09736883

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\$334 is due (because of a net gain of nine total claims and a net gain of two independent claims), should the Office determine that any additional fees are necessary for this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 12-2252.

Amendment to the Claims begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.